

Monthly Release of
Foreign Trade Statistics (FTS)
September'19

Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics (BBS) of Statistics and Informatics Division (SID) compiles and publishes Foreign Trade Statistics (FTS) on a regular basis. This publication presents monthly trend of Bangladesh foreign trade statistics including statistics on top trading partners, essential import commodities, and last twelve months scenario of major export and import goods for September, 2019.

Merchandise trade data of this publication are provided by National Board of Revenue (NBR) and while data on services from Bangladesh Bank. Data presented in this publication are provisional and subject to revision. All these provisional data will be subsequently reviewed and revised. Revised data are being presented in next issues.

In September, 2019 total export and import of goods and services is recorded at decreased by Tk. 294.84 and decreased by Tk. 556.49 billion respectively resulting in a trade deficit at goods and services of Tk. 261.65 billion. The growth of export and import in September, 2019 increased by 4.75 and increased by 21.89 percent respectively comparing to August, 2019 and it is decreased by 5.63 and decreased by 2.07 percent respectively comparing to September, 2018.

For the three months ending in September, 2019 the moving average of export of goods and services was Tk. 319.89 billion, while the moving average of import of goods and services was Tk. 531.89 billion resulting in an average trade deficit of Tk. 212.00 billion. For the three months ending in August, 2019 the average trade deficit was Tk. 177.89 billion, reflecting average exports of Tk. 314.38 billion and average imports of Tk. 492.27 billion.

Indicators of this publication are expected to provide a good idea about the trend of export and import of the country over the previous months of a year. This monthly release would be a useful document for planners, policy makers, researchers, development partners/agencies, academicians and other stakeholders.

Table 1: Export, import and trade deficits

(In billion taka)

Period	Export			Import			Trade balance		
	Total	Goods	Services	Total	Goods	Services	Total	Goods	Services
2017-18	3177.06	3087.92	89.14	5701.14	5511.63	189.51	-2718.8	-2423.71	-1096.53
2018-19	4049.24	3481.64	567.6	6675.66	5722.67	952.99	-2626.42	-2241.03	-324.59
2019-20									
Oct-18	364.63	315.97	48.66	611.23	532.17	79.06	-246.60	-216.20	30.40
Nov-18	345.84	293.82	52.02	567.31	490.21	77.10	-221.47	-196.39	-25.08
Dec-18	341.24	292.49	48.75	517.00	447.20	69.80	-175.76	-154.71	-21.05
Jan-19	364.13	314.26	49.87	746.31	570.52	175.79	-382.18	-256.26	-125.92
Feb-19	344.11	301.28	42.83	515.17	446.34	68.83	-171.06	-145.06	-26.00
Mar-19	336.91	288.10	48.81	540.47	471.21	69.26	-203.56	-183.11	-20.45
Apr-19	310.70	259.35	51.35	568.34	493.69	74.65	-257.64	-234.34	-23.30
May-19	382.98	326.53	56.45	573.61	493.59	80.02	-190.63	-167.06	-23.57
June-19	278.30	238.08	40.22	437.62	376.95	60.67	-159.32	-138.87	-20.45
July-19	383.35	330.03	53.32	582.62	508.43	74.19	-199.27	-178.40	-20.87
Aug-19	281.48	241.76	39.72	456.56	399.44	57.12	-175.08	-157.68	-17.40
Sep-19	294.84	264.42	30.42	556.49	490.33	66.16	-261.65	-225.91	-35.74

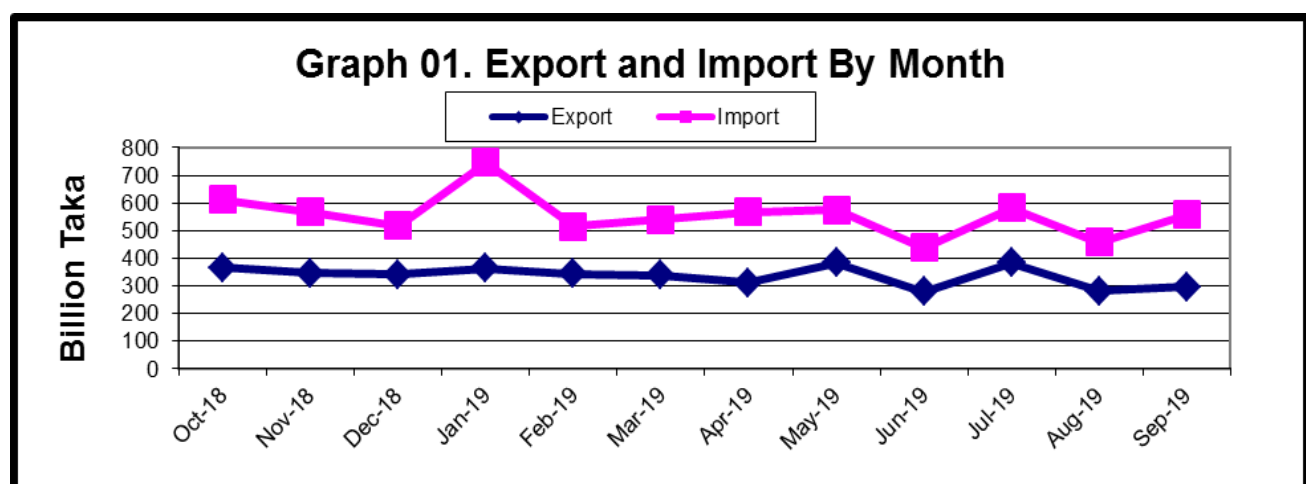


Table 2: Export, import and trade deficits

(In million US \$)

Period	Export			Import			Trade balance		
	Total	Goods	Service	Total	Goods	Service	Total	Goods	Service
2017-18	37611	37523	88	67157	66968	189	-29546	-29445	-1095
2018-19	41991	41431	568	69055	68101	954	-27064	-26670	-386
2019-20									
Oct-18	3822	3773	49	6433	6354	79	-2611	-2581	-30
Nov-18	3554	3502	52	5920	5843	77	-2366	-2341	-25
Dec-18	3535	3486	49	5400	5330	70	-1865	-1844	-21
Jan-19	3793	3743	50	6972	6796	176	-3179	-3053	-126
Feb-19	3623	3580	43	5373	5304	69	-1750	-1724	-26
Mar-19	3473	3424	49	5669	5600	69	-2196	-2176	-20
Apr-19	3122	3071	51	5921	5846	75	-2799	-2775	-24
May-19	3920	3864	56	5921	5841	80	-2001	-1977	-24
June-19	2850	2818	40	4522	4461	61	-1672	-1643	-21
July-19	3959	3906	53	6067	5993	74	-2108	-2087	-21
Aug-19	2901	2861	40	4784	4727	57	-1883	-1866	-17
Sep-19	3159	3129	30	5869	5803	66	-2710	-2674	-36

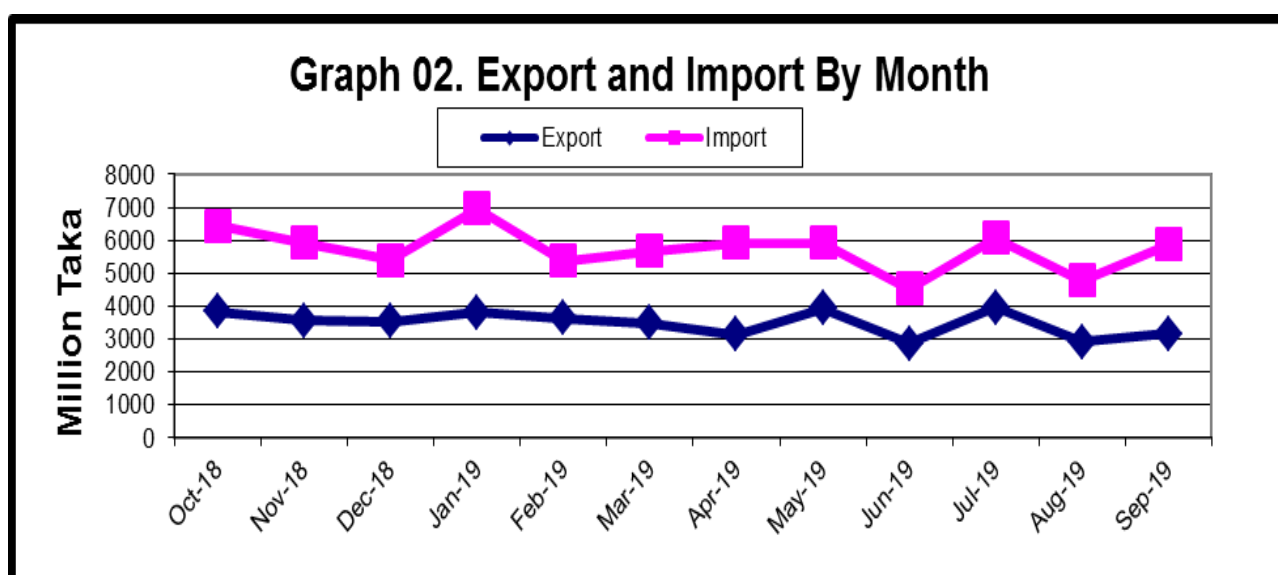


Table 3. Percent change from the previous month (goods)

(In million taka)

Items	2019-20		
	Aug'19	Sep'19	Percent change from the previous month
1. Export (Commodities)	241762	264421	9.37
1. Readymade Garments	203269	197839	-2.67
2. Shrimps and prawn	3137	3082	-1.75
3. Vegetable textiles fiber/ yarn	4103	6787	65.42
4. Made-up textiles articles	4885	6121	25.30
5. Raw hides, skins & leathers	1025	759	-25.95
6. Raw jute	656		-100.00
7. Footwear Special woven fabrics	6199	5454	-12.02
8. Fertilizer	-	-	-
9. Hats and other head gear	1218	1336	9.69
10. Special woven fabrics	245	392	60.00
11. Others	17025	42651	150.52
2. Import (Commodities)	399441	490334	22.76
1. Machinery & parts	43688	51314	17.46
2. Petroleum product and oil	52649	62347	18.42
3. Electric Machinery	19742	23295	18.00
4. Soya bean and Palm oil	12448	17051	36.98
5. Raw cotton	20799	26966	29.65
6. Textile fabrics	253	249	-1.58
7. Iron and steel	25056	26772	6.85
8. Plastics and articles	17877	20723	15.92
9. Wheat	8403	12252	45.81
10. Fertilizer	5141	23079	348.92
11. Others	193385	226286	17.01
3. Trade balance (1-2)	-157679	-225913	43.27

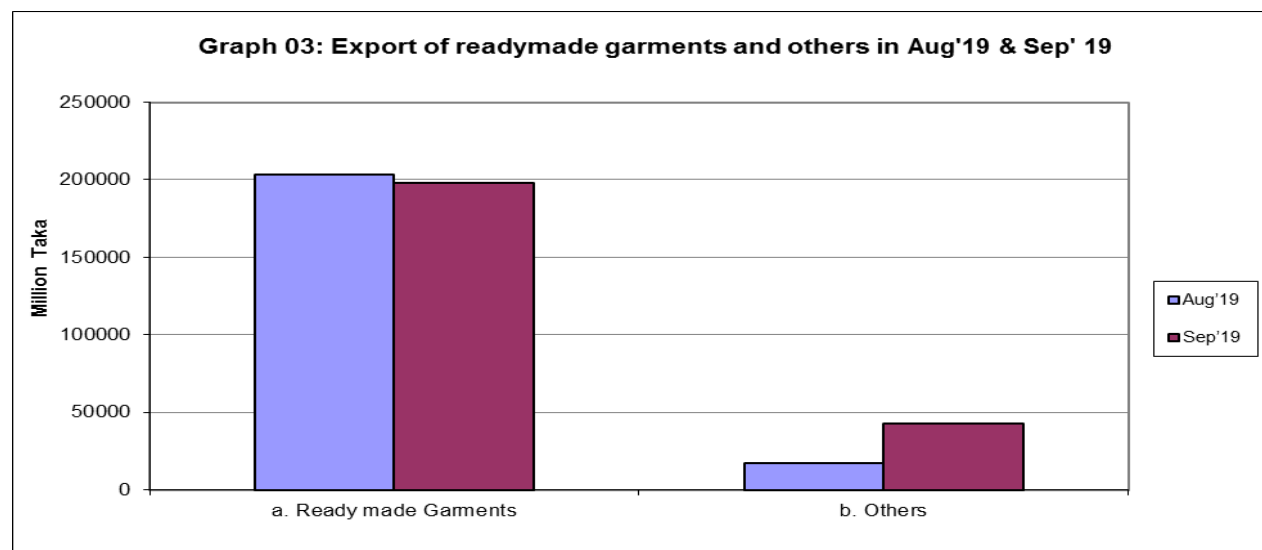


Table 4. Import of Essential Commodities Quantity

(In M. Ton)

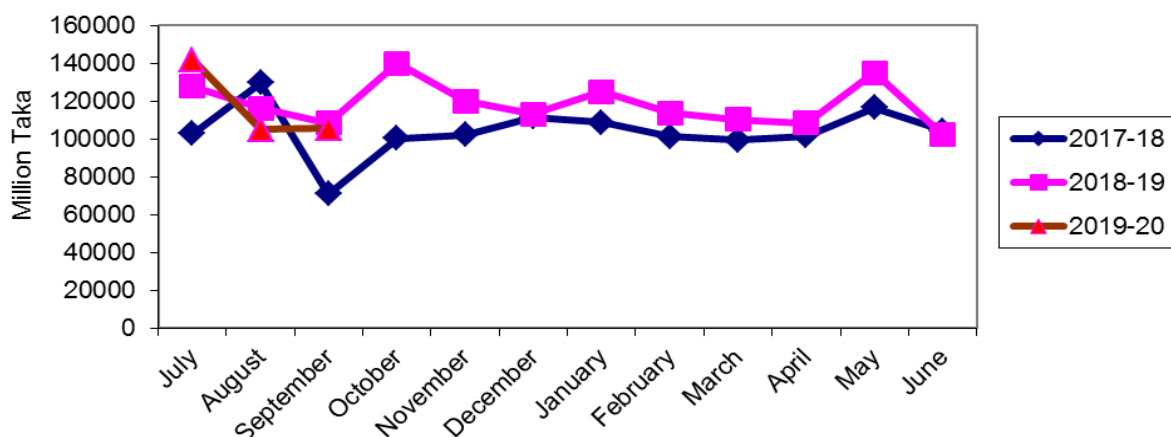
Items	2019-20			
	Aug'19	Sep'19	Percent change from the previous month	Cumulative (Sep -19)
Import (Commodities)				
1. Raw sugar	190502	274156	43.91	680508
2. Palm oil	194476	241762	24.31	730894
3. Soya bean oil	67276	104478	55.30	234179
4. Milk & Cream	10228	9175	-10.30	32911
5. Ginger	-	-	-	-
6. Chillies	-	-	-	-
7. Wheat	438837	612332	39.54	1215832
8. Rice	4624	400	-91.35	5883
9. Lentil & other	26747	34485	28.93	133631
10. Onion	61197	86869	41.95	313270
11. Garlic	5850	9023	54.24	20268
12. Tea	76	6	-92.11	1083
13. Oil seed	216212	120623	-44.21	547591
14. Gram/Anchor	540	887	64.26	1427
15. Tarmaric	1081	1346	24.51	5660

Table 5: Twelve months export of readymade garments during 2017-18 to 2019-20.

(In million taka)

Month	Ready made Garments (Knitted)			Ready made Garments (Not Knitted)		
	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
July	102840	127882	141802	98525	124617	137932
August	129534	116054	105007	116025	111464	98262
September	70911	108399	105579	59817	97331	92260
October	100144	139831		85134	123485	
November	102175	119989		102620	119091	
December	111384	112983		119911	130426	
January	108547	124902		129331	137903	
February	101021	113653		114050	130731	
March	99375	110165		114399	127701	
April	101356	108331		103926	105874	
May	116481	134876		118210	138931	
June	104358	101971		103374	100844	

Graph 04: Twelve months exports of readymade garment (knitted)



Graph 05: Twelve months exports of readymade garment (not knitted)

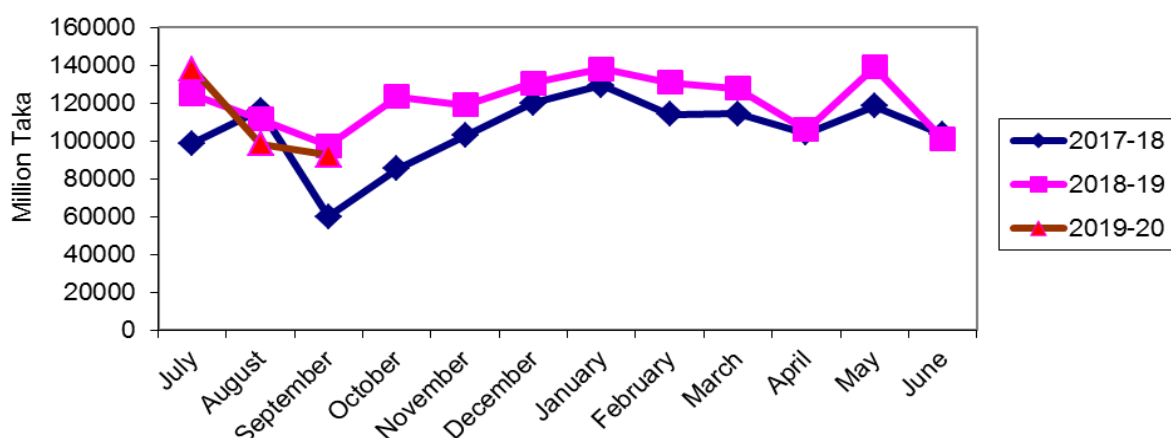


Table 6: Twelve months export of raw hides, skins & leather, 2017-18 to 2019-20.
(In million taka)

Month	Raw hides, skins & leather		
	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
July	1107	845	887
August	1614	1039	1025
September	1088	1577	759
October	1033	1336	
November	1725	1636	
December	1417	1230	
January	1273	1227	
February	1058	1006	
March	1118	1506	
April	1412	1071	
May	1096	939	
June	1177	548	

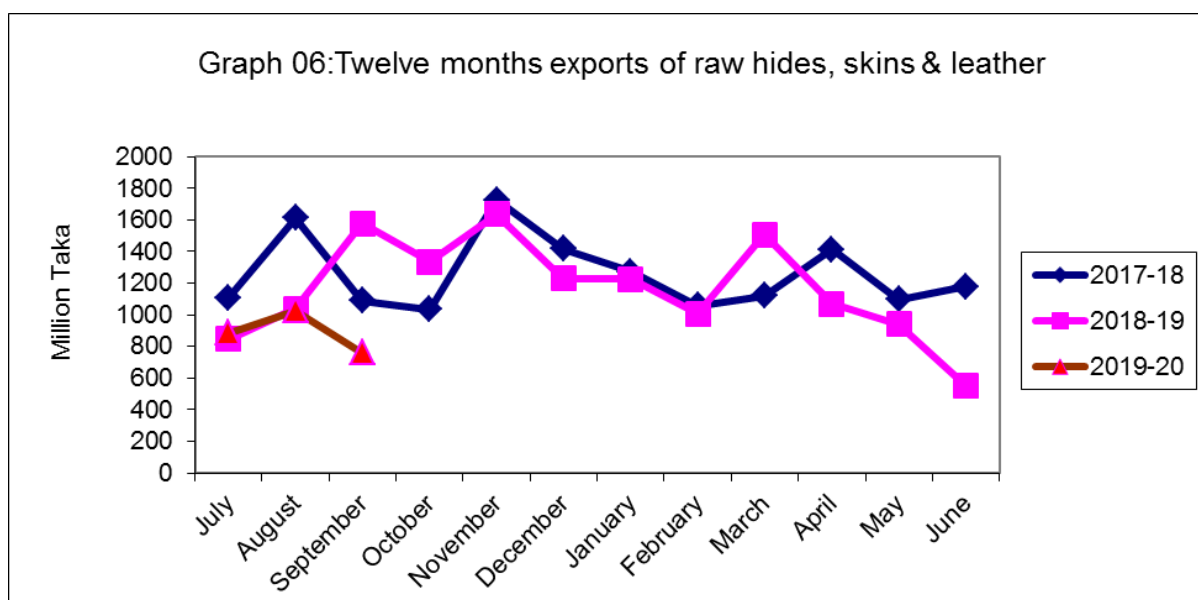


Table 7: Twelve months export of shrimps and prawn, 2017-18 to 2019-20.

(In million taka)

Month	Shrimps and prawn		
	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
July	4498	3107	3072
August	4986	3370	3137
September	3188	3617	3082
October	4285	4378	
November	2992	3564	
December	2651	3748	
January	2296	2987	
February	1842	2162	
March	1626	1581	
April	1779	1853	
May	2001	1967	
June	2951	1910	

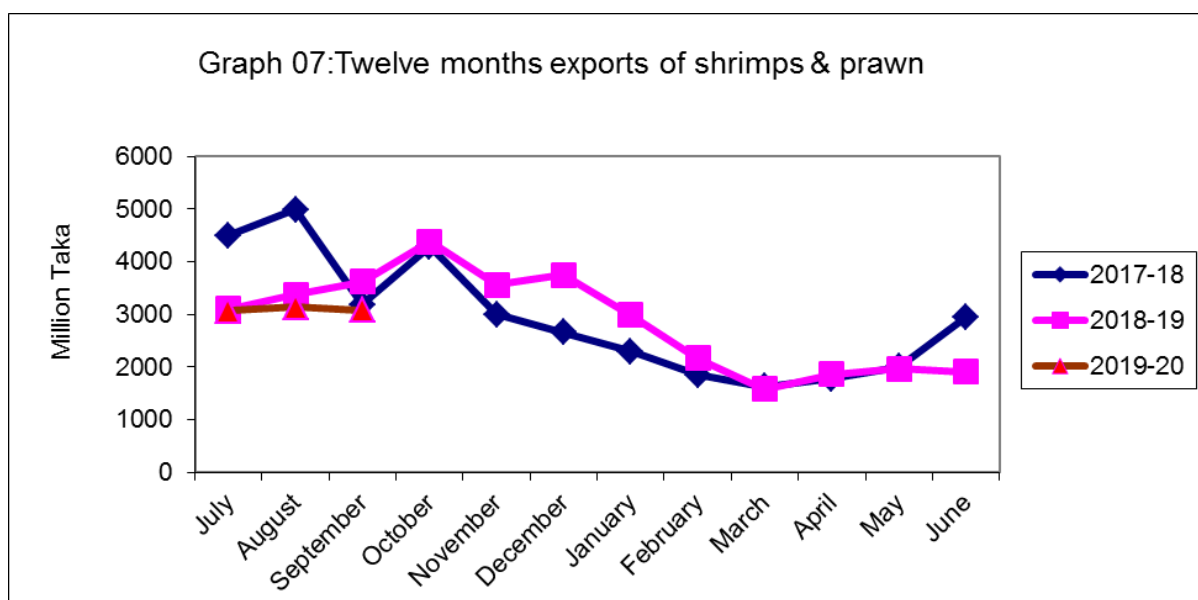


Table 8: Twelve months import of machinery & parts and electrical machinery during 2017-18 to 2019-20.

(In million taka)

Month	Machinery & Parts			Electrical Machinery		
	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
July	54977	67533	56286	21117	27235	30816
August	54942	42464	43688	24563	25374	19742
September	39676	47562	51314	20616	27298	23295
October	47217	53493		28580	36625	
November	48557	47207		27797	30763	
December	42960	46562		30601	26261	
January	57512	77401		42675	30109	
February	58270	44731		48407	36498	
March	49878	49754		39119	26366	
April	48519	47477		38258	28690	
May	55362	56283		35113	33772	
June	42276	35981		22692	22550	

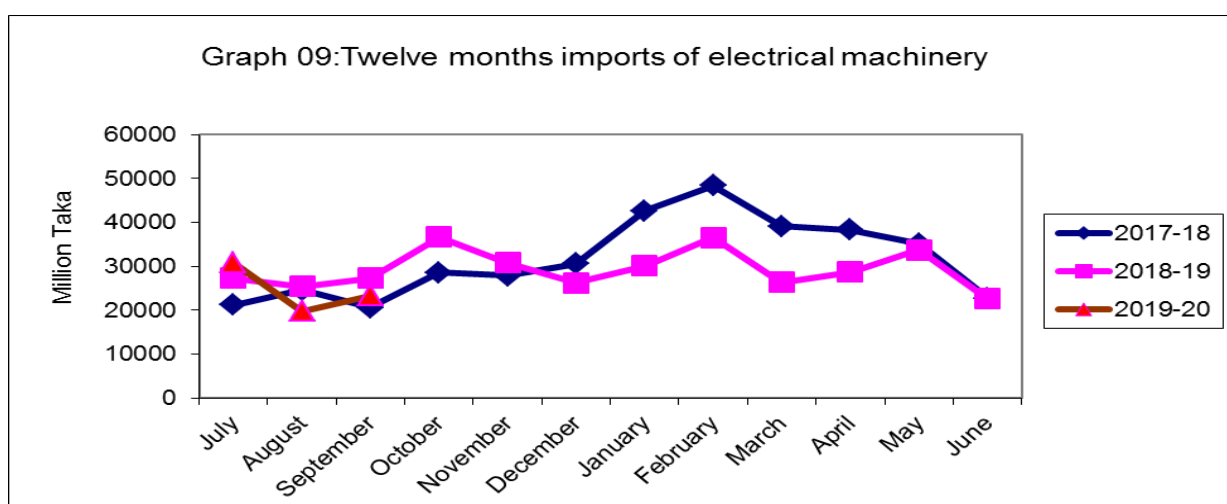
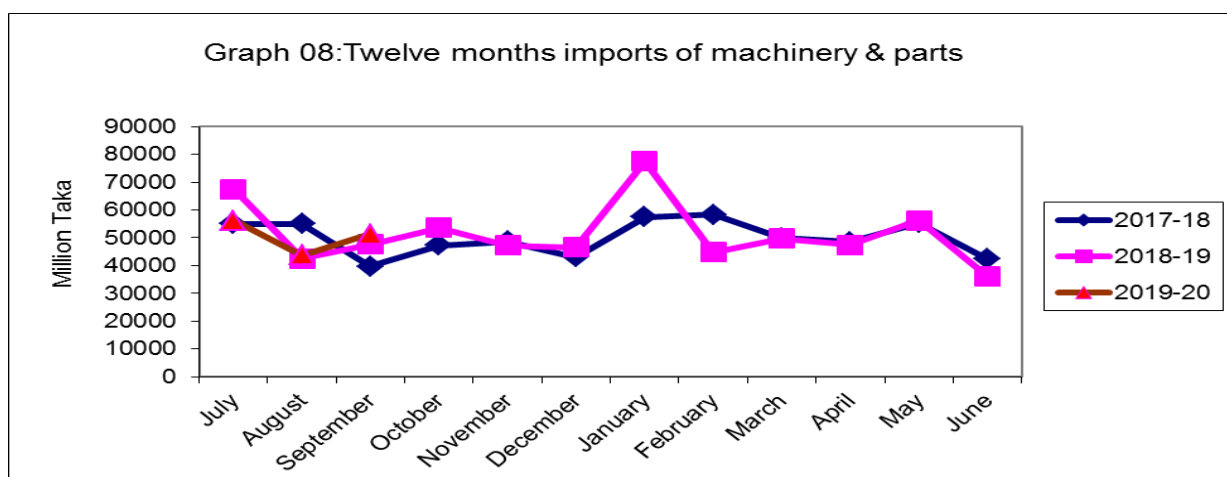


Table 9: Twelve months imports of Soya bean and Palm oil during 2017-18 to 2019-20.

Month	Soya bean			Palm Oil		
	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
July	5778	7147	3682	13131	12167	13144
August	7226	10006	3893	13938	12534	8555
September	6541	6016	5953	17963	14985	11098
October	6558	10534		18909	21963	
November	10913	11978		13991	9723	
December	10331	10808		8339	5818	
January	10488	15065		14126	7625	
February	8683	6996		13067	12017	
March	10944	9203		14986	14570	
April	10634	8607		21251	13218	
May	11914	12506		17046	5823	
June	9587	5623		7121	1896	

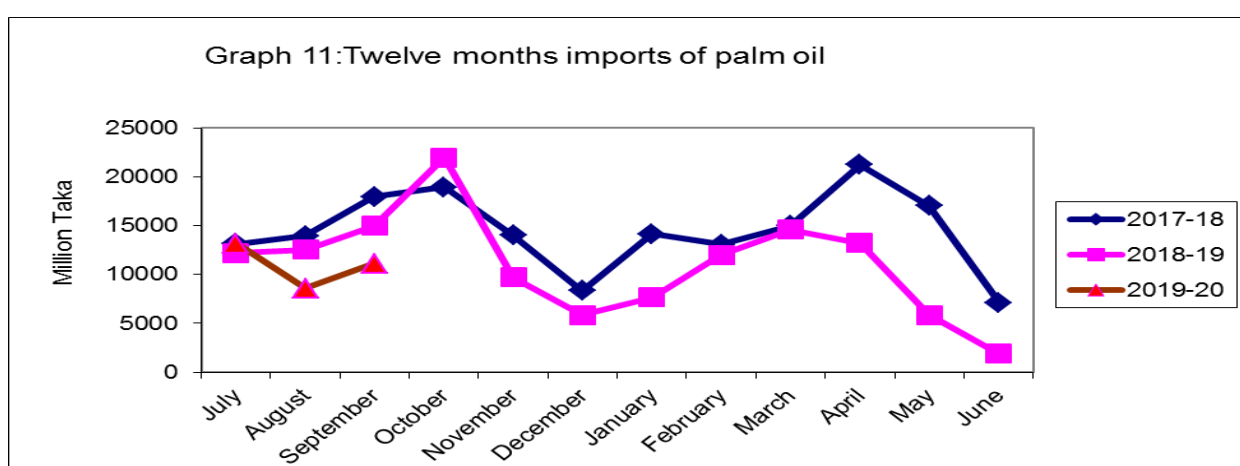
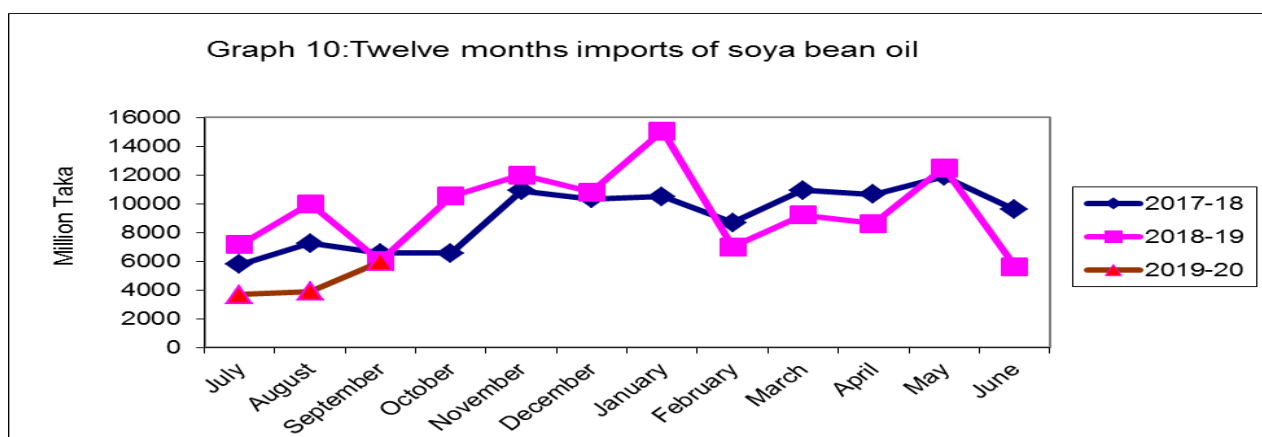


Table 10: Twelve months import of rice and wheat during 2017-18 to 2019-20.

(In million taka)

Month	Rice			Wheat		
	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
July	8599	1126	55	4839	11859	3732
August	15008	1117	145	6579	4013	8403
September	13776	1476	57	11739	9900	12252
October	14735	833		15741	13021	
November	15242	1151		14805	7077	
December	15425	450		13600	9867	
January	16087	1110		13885	14088	
February	11751	588		10097	13994	
March	9550	1136		7342	10172	
April	7246	542		4717	9682	
May	5826	520		12636	10737	
June	2804	65		8813	9217	

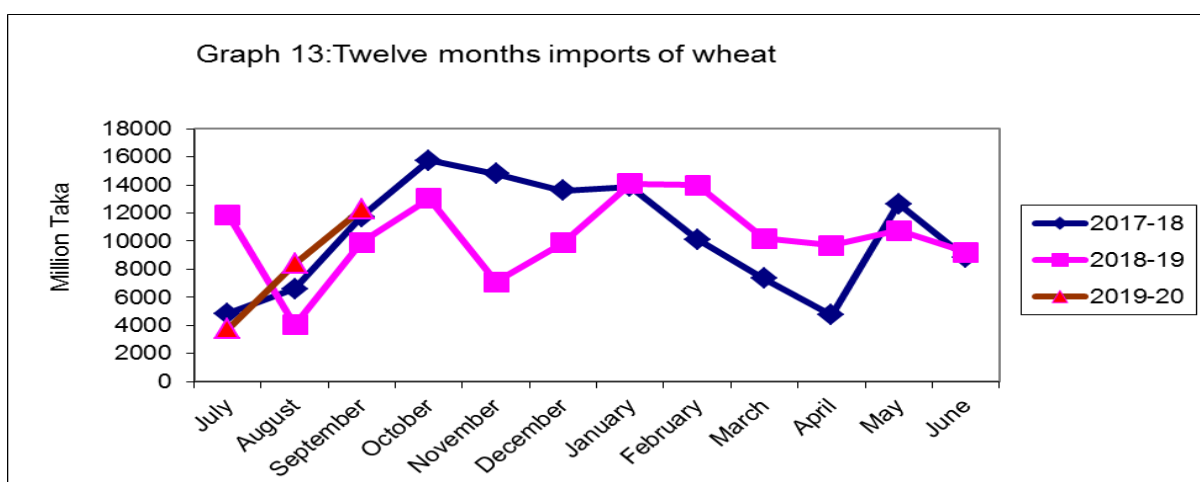
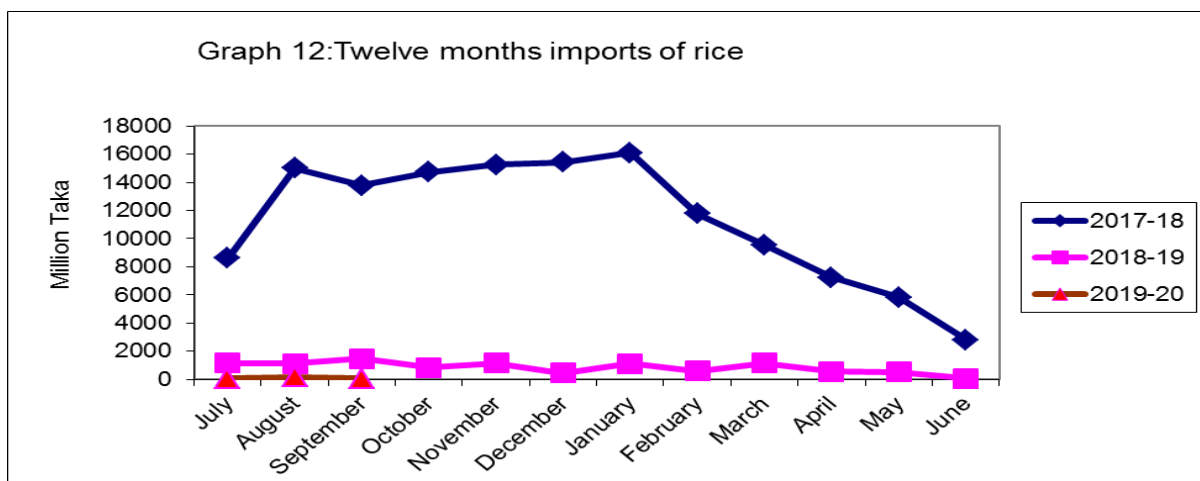


Table 11: Twelve months import of iron & steel and plastics & articles during 2017-18 to 2019-20.

(In million taka)

Month	Iron & Steel			Plastics & articles		
	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
July	12265	24583	31190	14941	20833	22201
August	22737	16895	25056	14298	15234	17877
September	13331	22866	26772	13369	19180	20723
October	20786	26787		16621	18664	
November	21856	21989		16001	17184	
December	19103	22120		14963	18935	
January	23735	31450		17072	19846	
February	15222	18048		14495	14094	
March	11831	24442		16661	18880	
April	22473	22620		19080	20669	
May	25785	24144		19209	21259	
June	25444	20392		14749	15928	

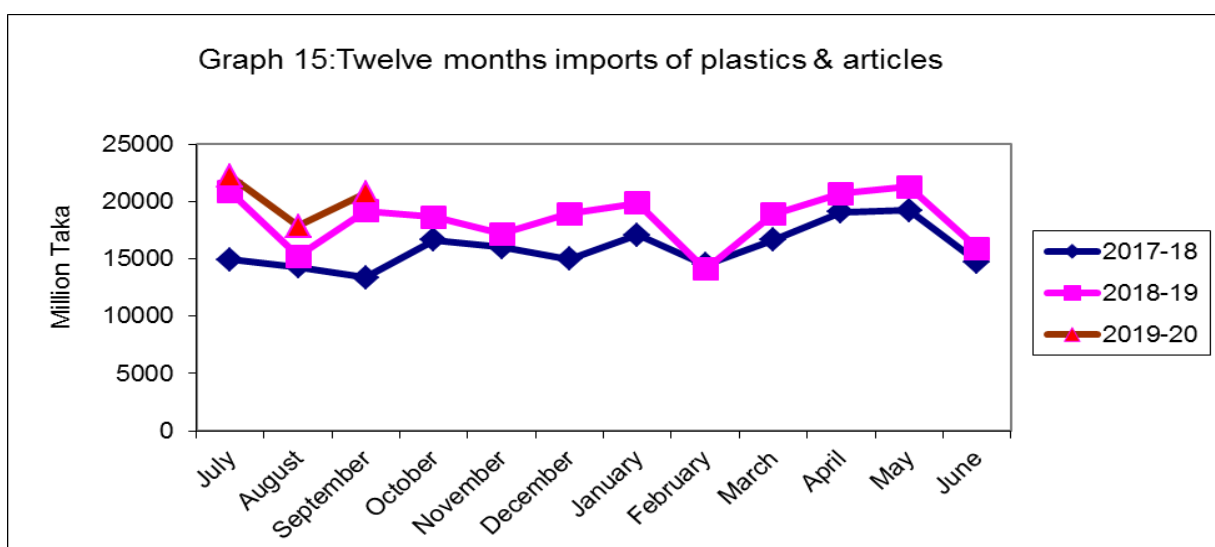
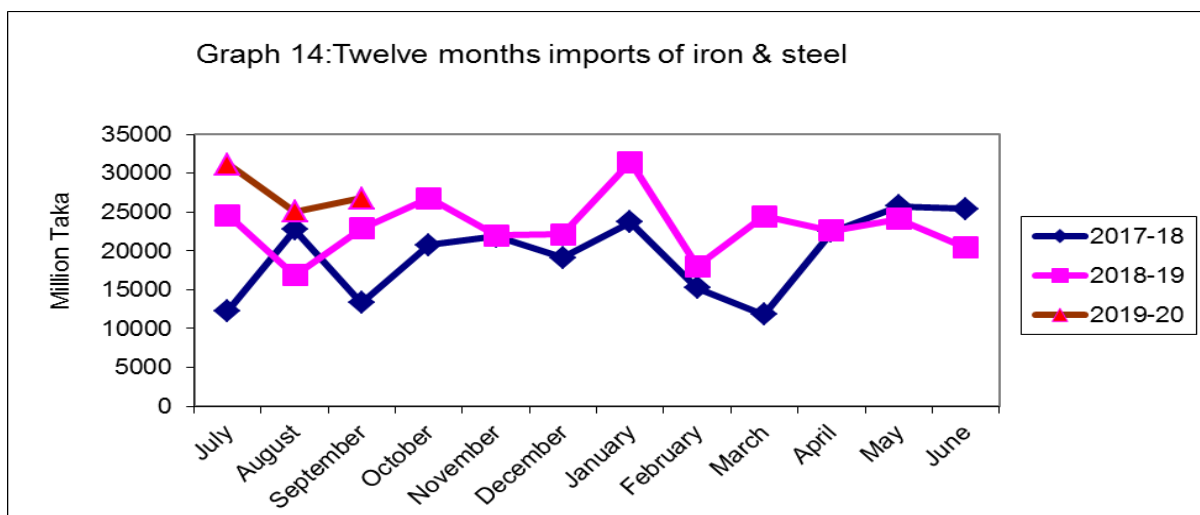


Table 12. Point to point percent change in external trade (goods)

Items	(In million taka)					
	July - September			September		
	2017-18	2018-19	Change in percent	2017-18	2018-19	Change in percent
1. Export(Commodities)	827862	846448	2.25	269728	264421	-1.97
2. Import (Commodities)	1322238	1400678	5.93	490455	490334	-0.02
3.Trade balance(1-2)	-494376	-554230	12.11	-220727	-225913	2.35

Table13. Top trading partners – total trade (goods), September -2019

(In million taka)

Country	Exports	Imports	Total	Rank	Percent of Total Trade
China	5464	105289	110753	1	14.67
India	15314	57863	73177	2	9.70
United States	42466	12880	55346	3	7.33
Germany	37680	8061	45741	4	6.06
Singapore	681	39280	39961	5	5.29
United Kingdom	28715	4787	33502	6	4.44
Malaysia	1451	31003	32454	7	4.30
Hong kong	1050	24408	26058	8	3.45
Japan	8690	15198	23888	9	3.17
Indonesia	491	19316	19807	10	2.62

Graph 16:Top trading partners – total trade(goods),September-2019

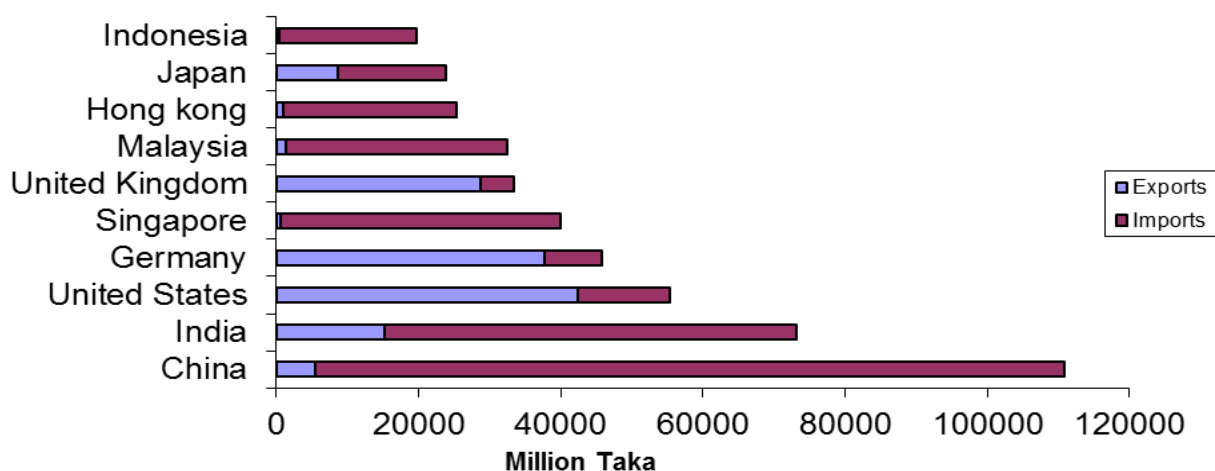


Table 14. Top trading partners – exports (goods), September -2019

(In million taka)

Country	Export	Rank	Percent of Total Export
United States	42466	1	16.06
Germany	37680	2	14.25
United Kingdom	28715	3	10.86
Spain	16361	4	6.19
India	15314	5	5.79
United Arab EM	10865	6	4.11
France	10426	7	3.94
Japan	8690	8	3.29
Italy	8517	9	3.22
Netherlands	8013	10	3.03

Table 15. Top trading partners – imports (goods), September -2019

(In million taka)

Country	Import	Rank	Percent of Total Import
China	105289	1	21.47
India	57862	2	11.80
Singapore	39280	3	8.01
Malaysia	31003	4	6.32
Hong kong	24408	5	4.98
Indonesia	19316	6	3.94
Japan	15198	7	3.10
United States	12880	8	2.63
Brazil	11274	9	2.30
United Arab EM	11032	10	2.25

Table 16. Monthly merchandise export (2 digit HS code)

(In million taka)

HS Code	Commodities	2018-19		% change from previous month
		Aug'19	Sep'19	
1	Live animals	-	-	-
2	Meat and edible meat offal	6.87	-	-
3	Fishes, crustacean and other aquatic	3503.81	3578.3	2.13
4	Dairy produces edible product of animal origin.	13.87	25.9	86.73
5	Products of animal origin	92.49	99.16	7.21
6	Live tree Plant bulbroot etc.	1.05	-	-
7	Edible vegetables, roots as tubers	573.30	4676.85	715.78
8	Edible fruits and nuts citrus fruits	18.94	1.37	-92.77
9	Coffee, tea, mate and spices	232.93	303.72	30.39
10	Cereals	195.84	374.02	90.98
11	Product of milling industry : malt etc.	8.16	13.34	63.48
12	Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	197.14	253.64	28.66
13	Lac, gum resin vegetable sap/ extract	0.59	1.55	162.71
14	Vegetable plaiting materials	74.23	408.4	450.18
15	Animal or vegetable fats and oils	938.17	1207.95	28.76
16	Preparations of meat or fish etc.	18.77	18.54	-1.23
17	Sugar and sugar confectionery	162.23	238.22	46.84
18	Cocoa and cocoa preparations	14.84	22.57	52.09
19	Preparations of cereals, flour, starch etc.	1014.90	1302.53	28.34
20	Preparations of vegetable fruits, nuts, etc.	720.95	639.46	-11.30
21	Misc. edible preparations	3.54	6.04	70.62
22	Beverages, spirits and vinegar	207.91	157.92	-24.04
23	Residues & waste from the food industry	43.15	52.44	21.53
24	Tobacco mfg tobacco substitutes	301.65	1053.43	249.22
25	Salt, sulphr etc. & plastering metals stone cement	56.17	87.9	56.49
26	Ores, slag and ash	25.94	108.74	319.20
27	Mineral, fuels/oils etc.	259.41	2686.15	935.48
28	Inorganic chem. comp of specious metals etc.	367.69	420.09	14.25
29	Organic chemicals	32.47	113.55	249.71
30	Pharmaceutical products	972.61	1010.14	3.86
31	Fertilizers	-	-	-
32	Tanning/dyeing ext; dye pigments etc.	4.53	5.58	23.18
33	Essential oils, perfumery/toilet pre.	1.61	6.31	291.93

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(in million taka)

HS Code	Commodities	2018-19		% change from previous month
		Aug'19	Sep'19	
34	Soap, organic Surface-active agents etc.	5.47	29.81	444.97
35	Albuminoidal substitute starches, glues etc.	15.96	8.96	-43.86
36	Explosive pyrotechnic products	-	-	-
37	Photographic/cinematographic goods	-	0.04	-
38	Miscellaneous chem. products	101.33	105.9	4.51
39	Plastics and articles thereof	661.54	920.39	39.13
40	Rubber and articles thereof	181.49	180.62	-0.48
41	Raw hides & skins, leather	1024.56	759.19	-25.90
42	Articles of Leather/Animal Gut	1700.37	1716.95	0.98
43	Fur skins & artificial fur. Mfg.	-	-	-
44	Wood & art. of wood; wood charcoal	11.84	15.92	34.46
45	Cork and articles of cork	-	-	-
46	Manufactures of straw etc.	126.32	162.84	28.91
47	Pulp/ wood/fibrous cellulose materials etc.	-	-	-
48	Paper & paper board; art. P. pulp etc.	415.98	739.89	77.87
49	Printed books, news papers, pictures etc.	4.14	1.68	-59.42
50	Silk	-	3.88	-
51	Wool, fine/coarse animal hair etc.	-	0.65	-
52	Cotton	957.27	1205.76	25.96
53	Other vegetable, Textile fibres, paper/yarn etc	4102.85	6787.47	65.43
54	Man-made filaments	231.26	324.92	40.50
55	Man-made staple fibres	116.94	151.02	29.14
56	Wadding felts nonwovens, special yarn etc.	332.92	358.22	7.60
57	Carpet other text. floor coverings	137.26	170.95	24.54
58	Special woven fabrics, tufted tex.fabrics etc.	244.95	391.91	60.00
59	Impregnated, coated, textile fabrics etc.	84.62	106.1	25.38
60	Knitted or crocheted fabrics	268.65	574.34	113.79
61	Article of appl. clothing accesso. knit / crocht.	105006.66	105578.79	0.54
62	Article of appl. clothing accesso. knit/	98261.76	92260.04	-6.11
63	Other made up textile articles etc.	4885.32	6121.06	25.29
64	Footwear, gaiter & like etc.	6198.92	5454.4	-12.01
65	Headgear and parts thereof	1218.33	1335.78	9.64

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HS Code	Commodities	2018-19		% change from previous month
		Aug'19	Sep'19	
66	Umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walk sticks etc.	-	-	-
67	Prepared feathers & down/articles etc.	162.02	160.58	-0.89
68	Art of stone, plastic, cement etc.	8.86	20.37	129.91
69	Ceramic products	282.06	264.96	-6.06
70	Glass and glassware	5.20	22.47	332.12
71	Natural/culture pearls precious stones etc.	-	-	-
72	Iron or steel	271.25	435.7	60.63
73	Articles of iron or steel	173.32	108.39	-37.46
74	Copper and articles thereof	197.06	152.41	-22.66
75	Nickel and articles thereof	10.59	7.81	-26.25
76	Aluminum and article thereof	19.92	13.7	-31.22
78	Lead and articles thereof	-	-	-
79	Zinc and articles thereof	46.24	4.5	-90.27
80	Tin and articles thereof	-	-	-
81	Other base metals, cermets etc.	2.20	11.69	431.36
82	Tools, cutlery Spon base Metl Part	36.96	23.95	-35.20
83	Miscellaneous art of base metal.	8.58	36.38	324.01
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers etc.	954.10	1562.58	63.78
85	Electrical mach. & equipment, parts etc.	598.67	8395.63	1302.38
86	Rail/tramway locomotives etc.	2.91	1.22	-58.08
87	Vehicles, other than rail/tram way's & parts etc.	738.06	656.5	-11.05
88	Aircraft, space craft and parts.	349.56	250.44	-28.36
89	Ships, boats & floating structures	6.87	6121.92	89010.92
90	Optical,photo,cinematgph.Medical inst.etc.	491.79	504.82	2.65
91	Clocks & watches & parts	2.03	-	-
92	Musical /instruments and parts etc.	-	-	-
93	Arms, & ammunition and parts & accessories	-	-	-
94	Furniture, bedding, mattresses etc.	414.71	604.42	45.75
95	Toys, games & sports requisites & parts	317.32	403.89	27.28
96	Miscellaneous mfg. articles	298.94	314.94	5.35
97	Works/ art, collectors & antiques	-	-	-
98	Goods Commodities NEC	0.47	0.03	-93.62
Total		241762.15	264420.59	9.37

Table 17. Monthly export of major commodities (4 digits)

HS Code	Commodities	(In million taka)		% change from previous month
		2018-19		
		Aug'19	Sep'19	
303	Fish frozen	119.75	189.24	58.03
304	Fish fillet, other fish meal	0.31	0.61	96.77
305	Fish dried	10.77	27.59	156.17
306	Shrimps & prawns frozen	3137.40	3082.48	-1.75
307	Molluscs	6.77	26.15	286.26
506	Bone and horn- cores	4.24	5.92	39.62
709	Vegetable fresh, chilled other	57.54	53.60	-6.85
902	Tea	6.15	36.25	489.43
1006	Rice	55.95	54.87	-1.93
2401	Un-manufactured tobacco	292.98	1000.13	241.36
2710	Petro oil/oil bitum minrl, nec	259.27	2685.38	935.75
3003-004	Pharmaceutical product	966.27	991.94	2.66
3901-926	Plastic & articles thereof	661.54	920.41	39.13
4102	Raw hides & skin of sheep's or lambs	-	-	-
4103	Raw hides and skin other	-	1.91	-
4104	Leather Bovine/Equin W/Out hair	755.70	500.19	-33.81
4105	Tanned or crust skins of sheep or lambs	-	-	-
4106	Tanned or crust hides and skins or other animals	65.45	36.84	-43.71
4107	Leather hole hides and skins or crusting	183.64	204.95	11.60
4113	Leather further prepared after tanning or crusting including parchment-dressed leather of other animals	19.40	14.84	-23.51
4202	Trunks, suit-case, vanity-cases, brief cases, and other	1592.06	1550.32	-2.62
4602	Basket work, wicker work, and other articles	125.86	161.09	27.99
5303	Jute and other textile bast fibres, raw or retted	656.19	1603.88	144.42
5307	Jute yarn	2934.76	4428.88	50.91
5310	Woven fabrics and jutes or of other textile bast fibres	507.38	713.41	40.61
5607	Jute twine, cordage, roofs and cables	157.09	229.07	45.82
6101-117	Readymade garments men's women's and girls knitted and crocheted	105006.67	105578.80	0.54
6201-217	Readymade garments men's women's and girls not knitted and crocheted	98261.76	92260.03	-6.11
6305	Sacks and bags, of a kind used for the packing of goods	1000.42	1343.39	34.28
6401-6406	Foot ware with outer soles and uppers of rubber or of plastics and other	6198.92	5454.40	-12.01
6505	Heads and other headgear, knitted or crocheted	1193.85	1314.56	10.11
Total		306906.49	224471.13	-26.86

Table 18. Monthly merchandise import (2 digit HS code)

(In million taka)				
H S Code	Commodities	2018-19		% change From previous month
		Aug'19	Sep'19	
1	Live animals	181.21	163.82	-9.60
2	Meat and edible meat offal	168.87	110.17	-34.76
3	Fishes, crustacean and other aquatic	299.18	349.30	16.75
4	Dairy produces edible product of animal origin.	2336.82	2319.25	-0.75
5	Products of animal origin	467.43	387.24	-17.16
6	Live tree and other plants etc.	10.40	1.74	-83.27
7	Edible vegetables, roots as tubers	3993.86	6879.87	72.26
8	Edible fruits and nuts citrus fruits	2295.97	2888.68	25.82
9	Coffee, tea, mate and spices	3103.23	2306.25	-25.68
10	Cereals	10512.96	15542.07	47.84
11	Product of milling industry: malt etc.	125.93	176.17	39.90
12	Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	7414.74	4557.18	-38.54
13	Lac, gums, resins , vegetable saps & extra	80.50	149.96	86.29
14	Vegetable plaiting materials	48.62	61.97	27.46
15	Animal or vegetable fats and oils	12826.91	17675.16	37.80
16	Preparations of meat or fish etc.	9.45	14.34	51.75
17	Sugar and sugar confectionery	5874.51	8421.06	43.35
18	Cocoa and cocoa preparation	84.11	84.10	-0.01
19	Preparations of cereals, flour, starch etc.	717.54	1130.77	57.59
20	Preparations of vegetable, fruits, nuts, etc.	92.46	94.47	2.17
21	Misc. edible preparations	725.55	923.97	27.35
22	Beverages, spirits and vinegar	60.77	52.52	-13.58
23	Residues & waste from the food industries	4424.54	4024.67	-9.04
24	Tobacco mfg tobacco substitutes	26.48	135.71	412.50
25	Salt, sulphur, etc. and plastering metals stone cement	11351.17	13039.41	14.87
26	Ores, slag and ash	617.80	1223.02	97.96
27	Mineral, fuels/oils etc.	52648.82	62347.28	18.42
28	Inorganic. Chem.: compounds of specious metals etc.	3416.69	3930.10	15.03
29	Organic Chemicals	6709.49	8435.83	25.73
30	Pharmaceutical products	2536.37	2795.60	10.22
31	Fertilizers	5141.27	23079.29	348.90
32	Tanning/dyeing ext; dye pigments etc.	5071.09	5544.53	9.34
33	Essential Oils, perfumery/toilet pre.	845.29	947.44	12.08
34	Soap, organic surface-active agents etc.	1337.35	1461.45	9.28

Table 18. Monthly merchandise import (2 digit HS code)

(In million taka)				
H S Code	Commodities	2018-19		% change from previous month
		Aug'19	Sep'19	
35	Albuminoidal substitute starches, glues e	820.03	910.91	11.08
36	Explosives pyrotechnic products etc.	0.02	0.71	3450.00
37	Photographic/cinematographic goods	181.05	336.18	85.68
38	Miscellaneous chem. products	4485.05	5350.22	19.29
39	Plastics and articles thereof	17877.47	20722.91	15.92
40	Rubber and articles thereof	2467.59	3512.69	42.35
41	Raw hides & skins, leather	875.02	1228.83	40.43
42	Articles of Leather/Animal gut	165.24	230.12	39.26
43	Fur skins & artificial fur. Mfg.	12.24	5.91	-51.72
44	Wood & art. of wood; wood charcoal	883.95	1410	59.51
45	Cork and articles of cork	3.60	0.94	-73.89
46	Manufactures of straw etc.	3.52	6.67	89.49
47	Pulp/ wood/fibrous cellulosic materials etc.	1404.33	2073.25	47.63
48	Paper & paper board; art. Paper pulps etc.	5412.66	5526.21	2.10
49	Printed Book, News paper & picture	135.31	260.97	92.87
50	Silk	37.52	10.68	-71.54
51	Wool, fine/coarse animal hair etc.	174.45	98.04	-43.80
52	Cotton	46640.01	62682.34	34.40
53	Other vegetabe, textile fibres, paper/yarn etc.	499.25	811.44	62.53
54	Man-made filaments	10569.18	12742.96	20.57
55	Man-made staple fibres	10301.71	12322.21	19.61
56	Wadding felts non-wovens, special yarn etc.	760.60	839.09	10.32
57	Carpet other text. floor coverings	48.20	60.78	26.10
58	Special woven fabrics, tufted textile fabrics etc.	1640.02	2044.05	24.64
59	Impregnated, coated, textile fabrics etc.	1771.18	1832.09	3.44
60	Knitted or crocheted fabrics	6741.73	10651.99	58.00
61	Article of apparl. clothing accessor. knit / crocht.	72.97	157.73	116.16
62	Articl of apparl.clothing accessor.n-knit/ crocht.	3649.92	5453.53	49.42
63	Other made up textile articles etc.	229.46	365.03	59.08
64	Footwear, gaiter & like etc.	1007.68	1361.4	35.10
65	Headgear and parts thereof	33.09	29.19	-11.79
66	Umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walk sticks etc.	22.63	31.48	39.11

Table18. Monthly merchandise import (2 digit HS code)

H S Code	Commodities	(In million taka)		% change from previous month
		2018-19		
		Aug'19	Sep'19	
67	Prepared feather & down articles	242.01	233.56	-3.49
68	Art of stone, plastic, cement etc.	489.30	634.45	29.66
69	Ceramic products	520.88	631.32	21.20
70	Glass and glassware	734.45	977.3	33.07
71	Natural/culture pearls & precious stones	20.63	63.47	207.66
72	Iron or steel	25056.16	26772.38	6.85
73	Articles of iron or steel	4561.39	5537.75	21.40
74	Copper and articles thereof	2993.81	2312.58	-22.75
75	Nickel and articles thereof	3.45	9.83	184.93
76	Aluminum and article thereof	2585.79	3057.15	18.23
78	Lead and articles thereof	630.44	489.12	-22.42
79	Zinc and articles thereof	1379.95	1118.68	-18.93
80	Tin and articles thereof	58.17	31.48	-45.88
81	Other base metals, cermets etc.	10.71	24.11	125.12
82	Tools, implements, cutlery etc.	375.49	469.83	25.12
83	Miscellaneous art of base metal.	773.08	1032.74	33.59
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers etc.	43687.56	51313.54	17.46
85	Electrical mach. & equipment, parts etc.	19742.16	23295.27	18.00
86	Rail/tramway locomotives etc.	851.53	729.98	-14.27
87	Vehicles, other than rail/tram way's & parts etc.	10601.36	11571.52	9.15
88	Aircraft, space craft and parts.	10732.54	191.7	-98.21
89	Ships, boats & floating structures	831.25	6457.3	676.82
90	Optical, Photograph, Cinematograph, Medical Inst.	3121.26	4794.45	53.61
91	Clocks & watches & parts.	47.45	72.78	53.38
92	Musical /instruments and parts etc.	1.79	7.46	316.76
93	Arms, & ammunition and parts & accessories	1742.83	236.25	-86.44
94	Furniture, bedding, mattresses etc.	849.11	875.4	3.10
95	Toys, games & sports requisites & parts etc.	247.59	379.73	53.37
96	Miscellaneous mfg. articles	2058.75	2671.75	29.78
97	Works/ art, collectors & antiques	1.02	9.52	833.33
98	Goods commodities nec	4.68	6.63	41.67
Total		399440.65	490333.97	22.76

Table 19. Monthly import of major commodities (4 digits)

(In million taka)

H S Code	Commodities	2018-19		% change From previous month
		Aug'19	Sep'19	
401	Milk & cream	4.38	5.44	24.20
703	Onion & Garlic	1842.47	3932.38	113.43
713	Dried leguminous vegetable	1872.37	2607.55	39.26
804	Dates	149.74	154.65	3.28
806	Grapes	285.98	374.20	30.85
808	Apples	897.85	1226.39	36.59
904	Pepper	380.95	347.36	-8.82
1001	wheat	8402.5	12252.37	45.82
1006	Rice	144.57	56.74	-60.75
1108	Starches	105.91	154.36	45.75
1201-1212	Oil seeds	7414.67	4557.18	-38.54
1507	Soya bean oil	3893.28	5953.41	52.92
1511	Palm Oil	8554.68	11097.72	29.73
1701	Sugar	5740.75	8286.15	44.34
2401	Un-manufactured tobacco	15.36	133.31	767.90
2523	Cement	7046.41	7565.42	7.37
2710	Petroleum product	37688.43	49625.19	31.67
2801-2851	In organic Chemicals	3416.02	3929.62	15.04
2901-2942	Organic Chemicals	6709.48	8435.84	25.73
3101-3105	Fertilizers	5141.27	23079.29	348.90
3201-3215	Tanning & dyeing	5070.89	5544.54	9.34
3801-3825	Chemical product	4485.06	5350.19	19.29
3901-3926	Plastic & articles thereof	17877.49	20722.91	15.92
4801-4823	Paper & paper board	5412.65	5526.21	2.10
5201-5203	Raw cotton	20966.58	27143.82	29.46
5205-5207	Cotton yarn	5701.86	6022.97	5.63
5208-5212	Cotton fabric	19956.87	29452.46	47.58
5402-5406	Synthetic yarn	4380.90	4948.84	12.96
5407-5408	Synthetic fabric	5148.65	6662.53	29.40
5504-5507	Staple fibre	1547.13	1508.03	-2.53
5509-5511	Yarn of staple fibre	2100.96	2062.84	-1.81
5512-5516	Fabric of staple fibre	4307.43	5898.98	36.95
7201-7229	Iron & steel	25056.12	26772.34	6.85
7301-7326	Article of iron & steel	4561.35	5537.75	21.41
7601-7616	Aluminum & article thereof	2585.79	3057.14	18.23
8402-8485	Machinery & parts	43036.43	50603.85	17.58
8501-8548	Electrical goods	19742.19	23295.26	18.00
8607-8609	Rail, tramway, locomotive	60.50	48.50	-19.83
8701-8716	Vehicle	10601.38	11571.53	9.15
8902,8903,8908	Ships, boat, floating structure	757.95	4656.00	514.29
9001-9033	Optical, Photo, Cinema etc.	3121.28	4794.45	53.61
Total		306186.50	394955.71	28.99

Table 20. Re-export Value, September -2019 by 2 digit HS Code.

(In million taka)

HS CODE	HS DESCRIPTIONS	
	Total: Re-exports	17697.97
08	Edible fruits and nuts citrus fruits	1.37
24	Tobacco mfg tobacco substitutes	25.29
27	Mineral, fuels/oils etc.	2475.68
29	Organic Chemicals	9.51
34	Soap, organic surface-active agents etc.	0.86
39	Plastics and articles thereof	11.74
41	Raw hides & skins, leather	10.60
54	Man-made filaments	0.67
56	Wadding felts non-wovens, special yarn etc.	7.13
59	Impregnated, coated, textile fabrics etc.	0.80
60	Knitted or crocheted fabrics	0.21
61	Article of apparel. clothing accessor. knit /crocht.	23.46
62	Articl of apparel.clothing accessor.n-knit/ crocht.	51.11
64	Footwear, gaiter & like etc.	0.45
73	Articles of iron & steel	34.88
84	Nuclear rect boil mach & parts	877.48
85	Electrcl machinery eqipmnt part	7997.71
87	Vehicles, other than rail/tram way's & parts etc.	0.86
89	Ships, boats & floating structures	6121.65
90	Optical , photo, cinma surgi apts	46.51

Table 21. Re-Import Value, September -2019 by 2 digit HS Code.

(In million taka)

HS CODE	HS DESCRIPTIONS	
	Total: Re-Import	0.86
73	Articles of iron & steel	0.84
84	Nuclear rect boil mach & parts	0.02

Table 22 . Temporary export Value, September -2019 by 2 digit HS Code

(In million taka)

HS CODE	HS DESCRIPTIONS	
	Total : Temporary- Exports	405.16
39	Plastics and articles thereof	0.25
40	Rubber & articles thereof	0.03
48	Paper & paper board; art. Paper pulps etc.	0.07
73	Articles of iron & steel	5.00
84	Nuclear rect boil mach & parts	100.69
85	Electrcl machinery eqipmnt part	35.10
88	Aircraft,spacecraft parts	250.44
90	Optical , photo, cinma surgi apt	13.58

Table 23 . Temporary Import Value, September -2019 by 2 digit HS Code

(In million taka)

HS CODE	HS DESCRIPTIONS	
	Total : Temporary- Imports	108.94
40	Rubber & articles thereof	0.54
44	Wood & art. of wood; wood charcoal	5.45
73	Articles of iron & steel	67.80
82	Tool cut spon base metl & parts	0
84	Nuclear rect boil mach & parts	8.96
85	Electrcl machinery eqipmnt part	17.21
87	Vehicles, other than rail/tram way's & parts etc.	0.10
90	Optical , photo, cinma surgi apt	6.26
94	Furniture, bedding, mattresses etc.	2.62